

THE OYEN NEWS

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No. 1

Will Sell Wellington Well to Royallite Co.

An agreement with the Royallite Oil Company, has been entered into by the directors of the Wellington Gas and Oil Company for the sale of the Wellington well and equipment and limestone rights on the ten-acre Wellington lease in South Turner Valley. The deal, which involves payment in cash of \$100,000 by the Royallite company, has not yet been completed, but it is only a matter of the preparation of documents for signature that remains. According to an announcement by R. Brown, president of the Wellington company, it is intended to pass the major portion of the money received on to shareholders as a dividend.

Wellington retains gold properties at Two Brothers River, B.C., and in the Cariboo; it continues to hold royalties on Anaconda No. 2 and Hylö No. 1 production. The company is also interested in the Pekisko Hills well being drilled near the Prince of Wales' ranch at High River.

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Milligan Gives Talk on Grasshoppers

Mr. R. J. Milligan, field supervisor for the department of agriculture, gave a very instructive talk on grasshoppers, in the Alberta hotel dining room last Saturday night. The attendance was possibly affected by the fact that posters advertising the meeting had an incorrect date for the day named and there was consequently some uncertainty as to whether the meeting was to be on Friday or Saturday. Mr. Milligan told about the various kinds of 'hoppers, their habits, and methods adopted to combat them. Stations will again be established to supply the poison mixture. He urged all farmers to get to work as early as possible and he emphasized the futility of putting out water mixed bait

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Excel Items

A conference of U.F.W.A. and Junior Locals of this district will be held in Excel school on Saturday, June 16, commencing at 10 o'clock in the morning. Lunch will be provided by the locals surrounding Excel. Speakers for the day will be: Mrs. R. Price, president of U.F.W.A., Mrs. M. Banner, director for Acadia and Mrs. Haynes, Director of Dramatics from the Department of Extension.

Everyone interested in the problems of farm women is invited to attend.

FARMING VALLEY S.D. APRIL REPORT

Grade 8—Stanley Vanstone
72. Grade 7—Helen Bishop
85, Ralph Caskey 79, Billy Lodmell 78, Eldon Rogers 78,
Ethel Rogers 75. Grade 6—
Ross Vanstone 57. Grade 5
—Irene Vanstone 78. Grade
2—Dorothy Bishop 84. Grade
1—Gordon Vanstone, good.
Mrs. C. I. Lodmell,
Teacher.

Black Brothers Use Tripod With Header and Barge Method of Harvesting

In the current issue of the Country Guide an article describes the harvesting operations on the Black Brothers' farm south of Oyen. For the last eight years, crops on the Black farm have been harvested by the header and barge method. By use of a tripod, the barge stacks are lifted, the rack backed under and the stack is dropped; the sling is then disengaged and the load taken to the separator. The tripod (Mr. Black's contribution to the technique of barge harvesting) which is mounted either on skids or wheels, is then moved to the next stack.

THE WEATHER

The latter part of last week was windy followed by a fine warm week end. Tuesday continued warm and calm. Today the weather is cool and windy.

CHURCH SERVICES

SUNDAY, MAY 13

OYEN UNITED CHURCH

HUDSON HEIGHTS 11 00 a.m.
GLENADA 3 00 p.m.
Sunday School... 11 00 a.m.
OYEN 7 30 p.m.

(See announcement, page 3)

Rev. E. F. KEMP

All are cordially invited.

ALL SAINTS CHURCH

Evensong 3 00 p.m.
Mr. G. S. PECK.
Rev. C. M. K. PARSONS

SACRED HEART CHURCH

Mass 11 00 a.m.
Rev. Fr. J. C. LYNETT

Typewriter Supplies

The Oyen News

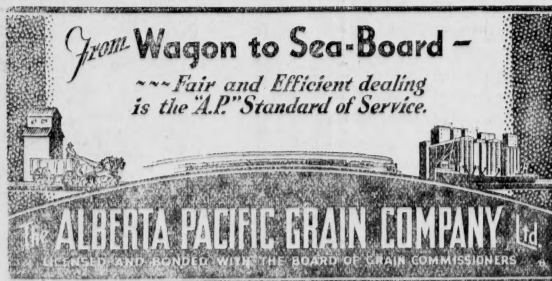
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### Clean-up Week

Next week, Monday to Saturday, May 14-19, has been designated "Clean-up Week" and all citizens are asked to co-operate in the work of cleaning up their premises and assist in the work of beautifying the village.

Rake up your yards and burn such rubbish that may be so destroyed; the village authorities will co-operate with you in the removal of what ever is left. Fix your fences and trim the dead wood from trees.

In past years, citizens have always cheerfully entered into the spirit of "Clean-up Week" and as a result the village is frequently referred to as one of the neatest and cleanest in Alberta. Keep this reputation. Strive even to better it. Next week, do your part and help to make Oyen—The Cleanest Village in Alberta.

About this time of the year the provincial health inspector makes his visit. Let him see that every individual in the village is interested in the work of keeping it clean.

The streets and lanes of the village have been "gone over" with maintainers, and are now in excellent condition.

### Today's Bridge Stories

Having been doubled at three spades, the bidder went four spades to get out of the double. Boy, page Mr. Culbertson.

Our genial p.m. who can throw a wicked ace, bids 'em high when he's got the stuff. He recently bid three-no on three suits—and got away with it. The price of postage stamps, however, remain the same.

Subscribers are asked to look at the address label on their paper.

Announcement is made by the Canadian Pacific Railway that it will now accept shipments of freight via Port McNicoll and its lake and rail route subject to delay at Port McNicoll, pending the first sailing. Three Canadian Pacific steamers will be in service on the Great Lakes during the coming season.

"Bride ship of the Atlantic," as she was called by reason of the large number of prospective brides she carried from Great Britain and the continent to Canada, the Metagama of the Canadian Pacific Steamships is to be sold for scrap, her owners announced recently.

Fifty years of railroad service, 35 of them with the Canadian Pacific Railway, were honored recently at the Royal York Hotel by a banquet and presentation to Robert E. Larmour, retired general freight agent at Toronto. E. W. Beatty, K.C., LL.D., chairman and president of the company; Grant Hall, vice-president; and George Stephen, traffic vice-president, were among those who attended.

L. G. Prevost, K.C., assistant solicitor, Canadian Pacific Railway, has been promoted to the post of solicitor of the company for the province of Quebec, succeeding the late Rodolphe Paradis, K.C., the appointment being effective as from April 1.

## Will you do your part

to help in the work of cleaning up the village? Rake up your lot—Burn the rubbish—Fix your fences—Cut out dead wood from your trees—and generally tidy up your premises. The village council asks for your co-operation and will co-operate with you. Do your part

next week

## "Clean Up Week"

Monday, May 14 to Saturday, May 19.

# Advertising!

Buyers invariably go in largest numbers...and of their own free will...to those stores which regularly advertise, for they know that "advertised" products are invariably the real bargains.

...and buyers always remember that the stores which serve them best are those which do most advertising.

Mr. Business Man! Use advertising space in the columns of your local paper. It is the most economical and satisfactory medium you can use.

## Oyen United Church

## Come to Church Mothers' Sunday, May 13

SUNDAY SCHOOL (Mothers' Day Program).... 11.00 a.m.

Parents are particularly asked to attend.

EVENING SERVICE (C.G.I.T. Choir)..... 7.30 p.m.

All are cordially invited to attend these services.

REV. E. F. KEMP, Pastor.

PUBLIC SALE OF LANDS UNDER THE TAX  
RECOVERY ACT, 1929

## MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF CEREAL NO. 242

Notice is hereby given that, under the provisions of The Tax Recovery Act, 1929, the Municipal District of Cereal, No. 242, will offer for sale, by public auction, at the Municipal Office, in the Village of Oyen, Alberta, on Saturday, June 9, 1934, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, the following lands:

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| N.E.        | 5    | 26   | 4    | 4  | N.W.        | 19   | 28   | 4    | 4  |
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| S.W.        | 7    | 26   | 4    | 4  | S.W.        | 30   | 28   | 4    | 4  |
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| S.W.        | 15   | 26   | 4    | 4  | N.E.        | 5    | 26   | 5    | 4  |
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| N.E.        | 31   | 26   | 6    | 4  |
| N.W.        | 2    | 27   | 6    | 4  |
| N.W.        | 3    | 27   | 6    | 4  |
| S.E.        | 4    | 27   | 6    | 4  |
| N.E.        | 15   | 27   | 6    | 4  |
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| N.E.        | 20   | 27   | 6    | 4  |
| N.E.        | 25   | 27   | 6    | 4  |
| S.W.        | 27   | 27   | 6    | 4  |
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| S.E.        | 25   | 28   | 6    | 4  |
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| S.W.        | 30   | 28   | 6    | 4  |
| N.W.        | 30   | 28   | 6    | 4  |
| N.W.        | 33   | 28   | 6    | 4  |

## Oyen Subdivision

| Lots    | Block | Plan      |
|---------|-------|-----------|
| 5 and 6 | 1     | 3732 C.D. |

## Lanfine Hamlet

| Lots                             | Block | Plan      |
|----------------------------------|-------|-----------|
| 5, 7, 9 and 11 to 20 (inclusive) | 1     | 4079 C.R. |
| 4, 5, 6 and 12 to 15 (inclusive) | 2     | 4079 C.R. |

Each parcel will be offered for sale subject to a reserve bid, and subject to the reservations contained in the existing certificates of title. Terms cash, unless otherwise arranged.

Redemption may be effected by payment of the full amount of arrears of taxes and costs at any time prior to sale.

Dated at Oyen, Alberta, this 4th day of April, 1934.

J. P. RORABECK,  
Secretary-Treasurer.

## Here and There

The British Columbia Chapter of the I. O. D. E. held its "coming of age" meeting at the Empress Hotel, Victoria, recently, at its twenty-first annual convention. Premier Patullo welcomed delegates from all over the province, and many distinguished guests were present.

The annual reduction in cost of summer railway travel under the heading of low summer fares, will be put into effect by the Canadian Pacific Railway on May 15th next, according to official announcement. The reduced fares will have extensive limits and stopovers.

Port Hope, on the south bank of the Fraser River, ninety miles from Vancouver by the Canadian Pacific, is a place where the Almighty has most lavishly set down in a land of wonderful beauty rivers and lakes abounding in game fish, writes B. Stone Kennedy, editor of Western Fisheries.

Dr. Frank N. D. Buchman, leader of the Oxford Group movement, is expected to launch another campaign in western Canada this Spring, commencing at Winnipeg May 1, taking in Regina, Saskatoon, Calgary, Edmonton, Vancouver and Victoria, and culminating with a selective "house party" at the Banff Springs Hotel early in June.

The success of low cost all-expense tours in the Canadian Rockies instituted by Canadian Pacific Railway last summer has prompted the company to repeat these four, five and six-day trips during the coming summer. Each trip affords 126 miles of motoring, and can be made either east-bound from Field, B.C., or west-bound from Banff, Alberta, at the convenience of passengers.

A. C. Leighton, R.B.A., president of the government art college at Calgary, who will again this summer hold his summer art school for selected students from the Province of Alberta at the Kananaskis Dude Ranch, near Banff, has picked a location surrounded by the most magnificent of Rocky Mountain scenery.

The skunk is not the king of the woods, said George Corsan, naturalist, addressing the Kiwanis Club at the Royal York Hotel recently. "Hold him up by his tail," said Mr. Corsan, "and he will become innocuous." He didn't tell the Kiwanis if he had actually accomplished this feat.

Toronto got its full measure of music-makers lately when the most famous bandmasters of the continent assembled at the Royal York Hotel for their annual convention. Captain Charles O'Neill was the president and they came from all parts of the United States and Canada.

In the annual statement of the C. P. R. for last year, published recently, it was brought out that as a result of decreased earnings the great majority of railway employees have taken a cut of fifteen per cent. in wages; higher officers have been reduced 20% and the Company's directors have had a 25% cut in their fees, while E. W. Beatty, Chairman and President, has at his own request taken a reduction of forty per cent.



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About Town and Country

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Mr. C. S. Hall of Alsask, will conduct services at Hudson Heights, Glenada and Oyen on Sunday, May 27.

Mrs. E. J. Keown returned home from Calgary last Sunday. Her friends are glad to know that she is gaining strength after her recent illness and operation.

Next Sunday is Mothers' Day. At the United Church a special Sunday school service will be held at 11 o'clock in the morning. At the evening service a C.G.I.T. choir will sing.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Scott, Mrs. F. E. Neid, Mrs. J. F. Martin and Mr. J. W. Robinson were visitors at Sedalia last Friday attending a school fair musical festival.

Miss A. M. Todd spent the week end in Chinook visiting her parents.

The tennis courts are much in use these evenings and many of the young people using them are showing great promise.

Golf Notes

Green captains have been busy at the golf course this week and most "greens" look like huge ant hills. So far Gordon Caswell and his co-sand sifter are setting a fast pace at green making—but, says SAM, wait till I and this column get going, then you'll see the sand fly. Don't need to wait, says Frank Neid (no pun meant) we saw it flying the other night.

I think I'll use my spoon for the next shot.

The wee Bob is making good use of his new driver, and delights to sock the elusive little pill straight down the fairway for 275 yards.

Milligan Gives Talk

on Grasshoppers

(Continued from page 1.) when the temperature was over 65-70. Experiments are being made with an oil mixed bait, to prevent evaporation and it is believed that results may prove satisfactory. A very good method of using the bait, is to leave a strip around the field unseeded and on this ground sprinkle the bait lightly.

THE MARKET

|             |     |
|-------------|-----|
| Wheat.....  | 49½ |
| Oats.....   | 21½ |
| Barley..... | 21½ |
| Rye.....    | 27½ |
| Flax.....   | 130 |

CHAS. L. DUNFORD

A Commissioner for Oaths

IN LIGHTER VEIN

A New Species

An American on a visit to London went to the Zoo. Approaching one of the keepers, he said to him: "Say, keeper, I want you to take me right along to your head man so that I can talk business with him."

The keeper eyed him suspiciously. "And what sort of business do you want to discuss?" he asked.

"Wal, it's like this," explained the American; "I've taken a great fancy to this I'll exhibit, and I want to buy your Zoo for my kids."

"There'll be nothing doing in that line," answered the keeper tersely; "but I'll tell you what we might do—we might buy your kids for our Zoo."

"It's a waste of time to roast him for being so raw."

"Yes, you can't expect anything else from a half-baked nut when he is stewed."

# Quality Printing

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